(*b*) whether the department concerned has reported fixing the location of the Institute;

(*c*) and if so, where it has been fixed; and

(*d*) whether the Government have sanctioned the proposal and if not why the delay?

Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):**

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) At Odakkali in Asamanoor pakuthi, Kunnathunad taluk.

(*d*) Yes; it has already been sanctioned.

വിദ്യുക്തി വിതരണം

*൯൯൪. (൪൧) ശ്രീ. കൃഷ്ണൻ അയ്യപ്പൻ: താഴെ പറയുന്ന ചോദ്യങ്ങൾക്ക് ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട മരാമത്തുവകുപ്പുമന്ത്രി സദയം മറുപടി നൽകുമോ.—

(എ) ഫൻ ൪൦—൪൧-ൽ ഈ സംസ്ഥാനത്തു് മുൻകൊല്ലത്തേക്കാൾ കൂടുതൽ വിദ്യുക്തി ഉല്പാദിപ്പിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ടോ; ഉണ്ടെങ്കിൽ എത്രമാത്രം; (കിലോവാട്സു കണക്കിൽ).

(ബി) പ്രസ്തുത വർഷത്തിൽ പുതുതായി ഏതെല്ലാം പ്രദേശങ്ങളിൽ വിദ്യുക്തിവിതരണം നടപ്പിലാക്കിയിട്ടുണ്ടു്?

Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):** The necessary information is being collected.

INCREASE OF BUS TRAFFIC

***665.** (44) **Sri. N. P. Verghis:** Will the Hon'ble Minister for Public Works be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of buses and cars which were plying in Travancore-Cochin State in the year 1949-1950;

(*b*) the number of additional buses which were permitted to ply as public carriers in 1950-1951; and

(*c*) to what extent has the stress on the roads been increased by the plying of the additional buses?

Minister for Education, Labour and Civil Supplies **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):**

(*a*) Buses: 1,449; cars: 4,643.

(*b*) 178.

(c) Due to the present heavy traffic, the macadam surface on many of the roads gets damaged in four to six months necessitating the resurfacing of roads very often.

Written Aswers

STAGE CARRIAGES

***666.** [46] **Sri. A. P. Udayabhanu:** Will the Hon'ble Minister for Public Works be pleased to state whether there is a practice of condemning stage carriages on the basis of the year of their make?

Minister or Education, Labour and Civil Supplies **(Sri. T. K. Narayana Pillai):**

Yes.

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